



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Ken-ichi Nakaya

Serial No.: 10/078,406

Group Art Unit: 2839

Filed: February 21, 2002

Examiner: Chandrika Prasad

For: OPTICAL FIBER TAPE WITH OPTICAL FIBER ARRAY -

Honorable Commissioner of Patents

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: